



PATENT

Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 3495.0209

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Edouard YERAMIAN ) Group Art Unit: 1631  
Application No.: 09/950,051 ) Examiner: Carolyn L. SMITH  
Filed: September 12, 2001 )  
For: GENES AND THE PHYSICS OF THE )  
DNA DOUBLE-HELIX. )  
FORMULATION OF A PHYSICS- )  
BASED GENE IDENTIFICATION )  
(PBGI) METHOD: AB INITIO )  
IDENTIFICATION OF GENES IN )  
EUKARYOTIC GENOMES )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant hereby petitions for three months extension of time to respond to the Office Action of March 16, 2005. A fee of \$1,020.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: September 16, 2005

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